



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

L'HERMET

Art Unit: 2839

Application Number: 09/588,728

Examiner: C. Prasad

Filed: June 7, 2000

Attorney Dkt. No.: 024118-00026

For: DATA STORAGE OR RECORDING DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR
HERMETICALLY CONNECTING A DATA RECORDING AND STORAGE
CARTRIDGE AND RECEPTACLE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 5, 2003

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 9, 2002, for three (3) months from March 9, 2003 to June 9, 2003.

Attached is a check in the amount of Four Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$465.00) to cover the small entity fee. Please charge Counsel's Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referring to client-matter number 024118-00026 in the event that any additional fees are required with respect to this paper.

Respectfully submitted,

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